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Serial Number: 09/782,957)
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Filing Date: February 12, 2001)
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Sir:

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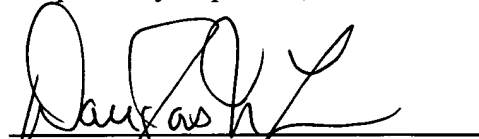
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It is respectfully requested that the examiner indicate consideration of the cited references by returning a copy of the attached form PTO-1449 with initials or other appropriate marks, and that the references be made of record as cited references in the application.

Respectfully requested,



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